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TAGS: CASC, APER, AFSP: VISAS FOR LEBANON

SUBJECT:TRAVEL ADVISORY - CHANGE IN VISA REQUIREMENT TO
ENTER LEBANON

REF: BEIRUT'S 1692

1. AMEMBASSY BEIRUT HAS ADVISED DEPARTMENT THAT LEBANESE
SURETE GENERALE ANNOUNCED THAT COMMENCING APRIL TENTH
NATIONALS OF ANY COUNTRY OTHER THAN SYRIA MUST BE IN POSSES-
SION OF VALID LEBANESE VISA IN ORDER TO ENTER COUNTRY.
PRACTICE OF ISSUING VISAS OR ENTRY PERMITS AT BORDER-CROSS-
ING POINTS AND AIRPORT WILL STOP. FOREIGN MINISTRY ADVISES
THIS DOES NOT APPLY TO HOLDERS OF DIPLOMATIC AND OFFICIAL
PASSPORTS WHO WILL CONTINUE TO BE OFFERED VISAS AT PORT OF
ENTRY. NEVERTHELESS, HOLDERS OF OFFICIAL AND DIPLOMATIC
PASSPORTS SHOULD IF POSSIBLE OBTAIN VISAS BEFORE ENTRY.

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2. PERSONS WHO TRANSIT THE AIRPORT ARE NOT REQUIRED TO
HAVE VISAS SO LONG AS THEY DO NOT LEAVE THE TERMINAL, BUT
PASSENGERS WOULD BE WELL ADVISED TO HAVE VISAS IN THEIR
PASSPORTS. THIS IS BECAUSE FLIGHTS ARE FREQUENTLY CAN-
CELLED AND OVER BOOKED AND, AS A RESULT, THOSE WHO PLAN
ONLY TO PASS THROUGH AIRPORT MAY FIND THEMSELVES STAYING
OVER NIGHT. EXPIRATION DATE INDEFINITE. VANCE

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